

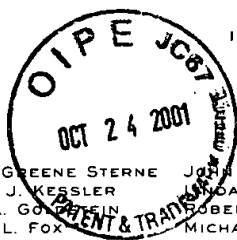
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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
Appl. No. 09/667,720; Filed: September 22, 2000  
For: **RF Active Compositions for Use in Adhesion, Bonding and Coating**  
Inventors: Ryan *et al.*  
Our Ref: 1711.0040004/RWE/ALS

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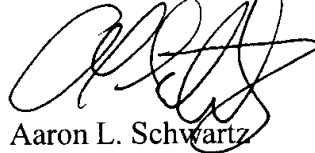
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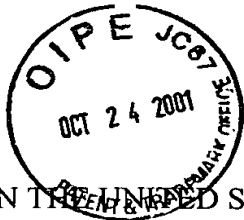
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